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*Exhibit*

[a1] 1 - 99% by weight of a particulate graft base A1 comprising the following monomers[:] based on A1:

[a11] a component A11 comprising 80 - 99.99% by weight of at least one C<sub>1-8</sub>-alkyl ester of acrylic acid [as component A11,];

[a12] a component A12 comprising 0.01 -20% by weight of at least one polyfunctional crosslinking monomer [as component A12];

[a2] 1 - 99% by weight of a graft A2 comprising the following monomers, based on A2:

[a21] a component A21 comprising 40 - 100% by weight of units of styrene, a substituted styrene or a (meth)acrylate, or mixtures thereof, [as component A21] and

[a22] a component A22 comprising up to 60% by weight of units of acrylonitrile or methacrylonitrile [as component A22];  
the graft A2 [consisting of] comprising at least one graft shell and the graft copolymer having a mean particle size of 50 - 1000 nm[.];  
[as component A,]

[b] 1 - 99% by weight of a component B, wherein component B comprises a copolymer of

[b1] a component B1 comprising 40 - 100% by weight of units of styrene, a substituted styrene or a (meth)acrylate, or mixtures thereof[, as component B1,]; and

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[b2] a component B2 comprising up to 60% by weight of acrylonitrile or methacrylonitrile [as component B2];  
[as component B,]

[c] 0 - 80% by weight of a component C, wherein component C comprises a polycarbonate[s] [as component C, and]; and

[d] 0 - 50% by weight of a component D, wherein component D comprises a fibrous or particulate filler[s] or mixture[s] thereof [as component D,];  
and

(3) a transparent top layer (3) of polymethyl methacrylate.

2. (amended) A laminated sheet or film as claimed in claim 1, additionally comprising an interlayer (2) disposed between the top layer (3) and the substrate layer (1).

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[2)] [an] the interlayer [of] comprising impact-modified polymethyl methacrylate, polycarbonate or a molding composition of [component] layer (1) as set forth in claim 1 without polycarbonate, if [component] the molding composition layer (1) contains polycarbonate.

*3.* 3. (amended) A laminated sheet or film comprising  
[(2')] a layer (2) of impact-modified polymethyl methacrylate, polycarbonate or  
[a] the molding composition of [component] layer (1) as set forth in claim 1  
and  
[(3)] a top layer (3) of polymethyl methacrylate.

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5. (amended) A laminated film comprising[, in this order,]:

[(1')] a substrate layer (1') comprising a molding [compound] composition of  
[component] layer (1) as set forth in claim 1, ABS, polycarbonate,  
polybutylene terephthalate, polyethylene terephthalate, polyamide,  
polyetherimide, polyether ketone, polyphenylene sulfide, polyphenylene  
ether or blends thereof, having a layer thickness of from 90 to 990  $\mu\text{m}$ [,];

[(3')] a transparent top layer (3') comprising polymethyl methacrylate, high-  
impact polymethyl methacrylate, ABS, polycarbonate, polyethylene  
terephthalate, styrene-acrylonitrile copolymers, polyamide, polyether  
sulfone or polysulfone, having a layer thickness of form 10 to 100  $\mu\text{m}$ ,  
[it being possible for] the substrate layer [to comprise] optionally  
comprising special-effect colorants [and comprising them] if the substrate  
layer and the top layer are composed of the same molding compounds,  
[and] the overall thickness of the laminated film being from 100 to 100  $\mu\text{m}$ .

6. (amended) A laminated film as claimed in claim 5, [additionally] further  
comprising [between the top layer and the substrate layer] an interlayer (2") disposed  
between the top layer (3') and the substrate layer (1'), the interlayer

(2") [an interlayer of] comprising polymethyl methacrylate, high-impact  
polymethyl methacrylate, ABS, polycarbonate, polyethylene terephthalate,  
styreneacrylonitrile copolymers, polyamide, polyether sulfone or  
polysulfone, and [which comprises] special-effect colorants and [has]

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~~having a layer thickness of from 50 to 400  $\mu\text{m}$ .~~

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7. (amended) A laminated film as claimed in claim 5, additionally comprising on the outer surface of the substrate layer,  
[(0)] an adhesion layer (0) comprising an adhesion promoter ~~and having a layer thickness of from 5 to 100  $\mu\text{m}$ .~~

8. (amended) A laminated sheet or film as claimed in claim 1, the ratio of the MFI values of [the] individual [components] ~~layers~~ of the laminated sheet or film being not more than 3:1.

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17. (amended) A molding comprising a shaped laminated sheet or film as claimed in claim 3, which is ~~backsprayed or back-cast with the molding composition of layer~~ [component] (1') as set forth in claim 5 or with a polyurethane foam, or where a molding comprising ~~the molding composition of layer~~ [component] (1') as set forth in claim 5, or a polyurethane foam, is laminated with the laminated film.

Claim 18, line 1, delete "12" and insert --15--.

Claim 19, lines 2 and 3, delete "(3) or (3') respectively" and insert --thereof--.

Claim 20, line 2, delete "100 mm" and insert --100  $\mu\text{m}$ --.

Cancel claim 6, the substance of which has been incorporated into claim 5.

#### R E M A R K S

1. Restriction has been required by the examiner under 35 USC 121 in respect of Group I (claims 1-8 and 15-20) and Group II (claims 9-14). In a telephone conference with the examiner on January 14, 1999, applicants made a